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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed July 20, 2004 (Paper No. 19072004), please consider the following provisional election, traverse, and remarks. Applicants submit concurrently herewith: (a) an Information Disclosure Statement Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 with Form PTO/SB/08 and copies of references AA-AG; (b) a Fee Transmittal Sheet (in duplicate, with fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(1)); and (c) request for 1 month extension of time.

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